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The Honorable Kent A. Jordan
United States District Court
for the District of Delaware
844 King Street
Wilmington, DE 19801

Re: Novozymes A/S v. Genencor International, Inc., et al.
C.A. No. 05-160 (KAJ)

Dear Judge Jordan:

Following up on the discussion with Your Honor at the conclusion of the hearing this afternoon, the defendants are willing to forego a separate Markman hearing prior to a bench trial on liability in order to allow the parties to focus on finding a time convenient to the Court and counsel in the first quarter of 2006 for such a trial.

Respectfully yours,



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